

wherein said upper members are parallel and said lower prong members are in the same plane as one another.

17. (Canceled)

21. (Canceled)

25. (Amended) The system of claim 16 24, wherein one or more of said upper member, said first and second lower prong members, and said first and second joining members of said two-prong connector unit are formed by a ~~said formation~~ process is selected from the ~~processes~~ group consisting of bending, molding, sculpting, press forming, and casting.

27. (Canceled)

28. (Canceled)

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The text of the canceled claims have been deleted and the use of brackets for deleting more than five letters has been removed, as requested by the Patent Office. No new matter has been added.

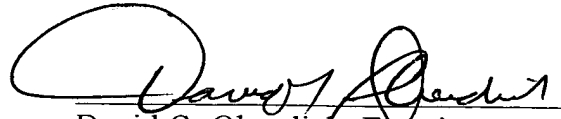
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CONCLUSION

For all of the foregoing reasons, the Applicant respectfully submits that the Claims, as amended, is now acceptable to the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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